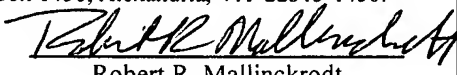




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Sir:

Responsive to the Examiner's Action dated October 6, 2006, applicants cancel Claims 1, 2, 6, and 20, and amend Claims 3, 7, 18, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 as follows: